

Proclamation

IN RECOGNITION OF
THE KAPPA OMICRON CHAPTER OF DELTA SIGMA THETA SORORITY, INC,
AT THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT CHAPEL HILL

WHEREAS, Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc, is an organization of college-educated women committed to the constructive development of its members and to public service with a primary focus on the Black community; and

WHEREAS, the Kappa Omicron Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc, was chartered on July 21, 1973, as the first Black Greek organization at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill; and

WHEREAS, members of the Kappa Omicron Chapter have served in leadership roles across the UNC-Chapel Hill campus, including as head of the Carolina Union Activities Board, president of the Black Student Movement, leadership in the Order of the Golden Fleece, president of the National Pan-Hellenic Council, president of the Order of Omega, Chancellor's Award recipient, and UNC Homecoming Queen, as well as holding outstanding scholarships, such as the Morehead-Cain Scholarship, the Johnston Scholarship, the Pogue Scholarship, and the Ishna J. Hall travel abroad scholarship, and admission to the Chancellor's Science Scholars Program; and

WHEREAS, the Kappa Omicron Chapter has served the Carrboro and Chapel Hill communities through its Domestic Violence Week programming, participation in the St. Jude Walk, hosting of Red Goes Pink events for breast cancer awareness, World AIDS Day programming, and voter registration and education initiatives; the Know Your Roots program to educate the community about the contributions of Black people to the history of UNC-Chapel Hill; and donations to the Orange County Rape Crisis Center and the Compass Center to support survivors of domestic violence and sexual violence; and

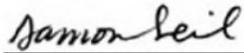
WHEREAS, the Kappa Omicron Chapter is celebrating its golden anniversary this year; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Carrboro joins the Kappa Omicron Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc, in celebrating and commemorating its members in our community and across our state for their service over the past 50 years and looks forward to their continued achievements for many years to come;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Damon Seils, mayor of the Town of Carrboro, North Carolina, do hereby proclaim July 21, 2023, as a day "In Recognition of the Kappa Omicron Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc" in Carrboro and commend its observance to all residents.

This the 18th day of July, 2023.




Damon Seils, Mayor